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EDMONTON, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 11, 1933

One Hundred and Forty Register At Regional Conference

ATHABASCA—The local Home and School Association, under President Dave Hunter and the executive, sponsored a highly successful regional conference at which delegates from 21 other associations were present.

Ladouceur-Boucher Nuptials Held

LAC LA BICHE MISSION — Recently a wedding took place at the Lac la Biche Mission Catholic Church, when Roger Ladouceur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Ladouceur was united in marriage to Irene Boucher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Boucher of Lac la Biche. The bride wore a floor-length dress of white satin and a long veil. Her bouquet was of white and pink roses. The bridesmaid was Jeanne Boucher, niece of the groom.

Attending the groom was Edgar Ladouceur, brother of the groom.

Dinner and supper was served at the grooms' home where 45 guests assembled. A dance was held at the hall where everyone had a good time.

The couple will reside at the Mission.

During mass the organ was played by the Rev. Sister Lucien and the hymn was sung by Rev. Brother Lacroix and Mrs. A. Beaudoin.

Miss D. Huppie Weds Here

LAC LA BICHE MISSION — On December 29 a pretty wedding took place at the Lac la Biche Mission Catholic Church, when Miss Delia Huppie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Huppie, was united in marriage to Amedie Duperron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arsen Duperron of Amesbury.

The bride wore a floor-length dress of white satin and a long veil. Her flowers were white carnations and pink roses.

The bridesmaids were Jean Duperron, sister of the groom, wearing a pink dress, and Yvonne Dionne, dressed in yellow nylon, and Doris Goucher, dressed in blue taffeta. They all wore chapel veils.

Attending the groom were: George Huppie, brother of the bride, Raymond Duperron, and Roger Duperron.

Dinner and supper was served at the brides' home to over 85 guests.

The dance was held at Lac la Biche Hall. The Grassland Orchestra supplied the music. Everyone had a good time. The young couple will reside at Amesbury.

4-H Sewing Club Meet Here

HYLO — The Hylo 4-H Sewing Club met at the home of Miss Ethel Smith on Friday evening February 6, for their regular meeting.

Mrs. O. Meardi showed the girls how to cut out a Dickie pattern and how to assemble it.

Miss Sherill Lozinski gave a talk on how to care for nylon and rayon fabrics.

Plans were made for the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Olga Meardi on February 21 at 8 p.m.

Miss Ethel Smith served tea and a tasty lunch after the close of the meeting.

The Provincial executive under the President, Mrs. Boalch, with assistance from Mrs. H. T. Robertson and regional representative, Mr. H. Kostash of Smoky Lake, arranged the program for the day.

Registration began at 9:30 a.m. and continued throughout the day when 70 delegates were registered for the day sessions. Another 70 persons registered at the evening session when a large number of local people came out for the 7:30 p.m. program. The grand total of 140 people registered compares very favorably with the other large conference held at Pincher Creek earlier in the year.

The guest speaker for the occasion was Mr. G. S. Hawkins from the Dept. of Extension at the University of Alberta. In the morning he gave an interesting talk on "Discussion Group Techniques" when he outlined the duties of the various officers such as Recorder and Leader, with interesting suggestions to make them more successful.

Mrs. H. T. Robertson then gave a very informative talk on how to build a good program with the following major points to be considered. First, the aim of the program should be to outline or achieve what you are trying to do. Second, a suggested list of suitable subjects should be available from which a selection of those of local interest would be made by the committee. Third, the method of presentation should be varied enough to provide for special items like panels, discussions, etc. and fourth, the program committee should have some check made as an evaluation to see if the desired aims have been achieved.

After the lunch period, Mr. Hawkins spoke on the topic of "Discussion Group Techniques" which might include one of the following suggestions. First, the symposium where a number of speakers talk for a few minutes each on the same topic or one phase of the topic. Second, a panel where three or more people sit around a table at the front and discuss the topic among themselves. Third, two speakers may be asked to talk on the same topic but each will have no knowledge of the other's views and opinions. Lastly, the whole meeting may divide up into discussion groups with a chairman and recorder for each who will report back to the main meeting the group's views on any subject.

Mrs. Boalch then gave an outline of the organization, policies and officers' duties for any H and S organization. As a body of increasing importance, the H and S must have active members who are vitally concerned with the welfare of all children, both locally and otherwise. It is important that all officers know their responsibilities which are clearly outlined in the handbook that every association should have and which should be read carefully. It was also important, stated Mrs. Boalch, that the business part of the meeting should be brief and to the point with full observance of parliamentary procedure at all times. In concluding, she stated that the reports of convenors and committees should be made regularly so that the whole meeting would be able to discuss various aspects

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IT CAN HAPPEN everywhere, even in Michigan as this photo proves. Bad weather is dogging drivers in the United States as well as Canada. Here a driver scratches his head with the problem of digging out a company car. Abandoned during a blinding snowstorm, officials returned later to the scene and after an hour's digging, managed to uncover the portion of the car shown.

ATHABASCA CONSTITUENCY S.C. NOMINATE TAWATINAW MAN

LAC LA BICHE—Social Crediters of the federal constituency of Athabasca nominated Mr. A. E. Pierce of Tawatinaw as their candidate in the forthcoming federal election. The nomination took place at a meeting held Saturday, February 7th, at Lac la Biche.

Though a newcomer to the political field, Mr. Pierce has always taken an active interest in politics and in Social Credit work. Well-known throughout the district, Mr. Pierce has played a prominent part in the Sheep Breeders' Association and taken a very active interest in Livestock.

The new candidate has been a farmer for the past forty years in the Tawatinaw district, and for the past several years has played an active role with the Red Cross, serving in the capacity of Supervisor for the district.

Two Teams Tied For First Place

LAC LA BICHE — Just prior to its seventeenth joust, the Men's Bowling League's standings haven't greatly altered, except for the fact that the three top teams are pulling away from the rest. Varze's Cleaners and Boarders Ltd. are in a deadlock for first place and Hayward Lumber a close two points behind.

Boarders Ltd.	24
Varze's Cleaners	24
Hayward Lumber	22
Fyfe's Unlimited	16
NAR	16
Patterson's Store	10
Northland Power	8
Massey Service	8

With at least 14 games played, Paul Bouvier and Vince Varze are the two above 200 bowlers with 208 and 203 in the same order.

St. Catherine's Hospital Report

LAC LA BICHE — Patients from January 21 to February 4, 1933, were:

Harold Benson, Imperial Mills; Aline Plamondon, Plamondon; Raymond Dube, Plamondon; Geo. Reed Coppen, Sask.; Mrs. Victor Duperron; Tommy Murowchuk, Boyle; Richard Bodungen, Vancouver; Roger Aubee, Breynat; Nick Hrycum, Donatville; Clara Larocque, Lac la Biche; Douas Cardinal Bernegat; Irene Gladee, Normandeau; Marie J. Lamoureux, Lac la Biche; Mrs. E. L. Lloyd, Lac la Biche; Cecile Lamoureux, Normandeau; Marta Bourque, Missions; Melanie Cardinal, Lac la Biche; Veronica Dominique, Lac la Biche; Mrs. John Pysyk, Donatville; Dorothy Rose Shatt, Lac la Biche; Napoleon Lessard, Normandeau; Oscar Schaub, Plamondon; Proctor Yekish, Spruce Valley; Mrs. Niky Kirelchuk, Venice; Harry Huppie, Lac la Biche; Evangelist St. Jean, Plamondon; Mrs. Iwchimija Koezan, Donatville; Mrs. C. Ladouceur, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Joseph Gagnon, Plamondon; Arvella Plamondon, Lac la Biche; Guy Pare, Egg Lake; Tony Primer, Calgary; Mrs. Celeste Giacobbe, Venice; Mrs. B. Bourassa, Lac la Biche; Mrs. C. Gagnon, Plamondon; Bertha Hamelin, Imperial Mills; Mrs. E. St. Jean, Wandering River; Lennox Tice, Boyle; Mrs. Joseph Cloutier, Mission; Mrs. A. Zelinski, Boyle; Mrs. J. E. Belerose, Kikino; Florence Hamelin, Imperial Mills; David Richard, Normandeau.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mastre, Lac la Biche, a son, Jan. 22.
Mr. and Mrs. Rene Menard, Plamondon, a son, Jan. 23.
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Whitford, Caslan, a daughter, Jan. 23.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stephenson, Donatville, a daughter, Jan. 25.
Mr. and Mrs. L. Whitford, Grandin, a daughter, Jan. 25.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dowhaluk, Bue Jay, a daughter, Jan. 25.
Mr. and Mrs. David Dragon, Plamondon, a daughter, Jan. 26.
Mr. and Mrs. Max Stevens, Rich Lake, a son, Jan. 31.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ballard, Atmore, a son, Feb. 2.

From December, 1949, to August, 1950, Canada's food cost index rose 18 per cent.

AURORA THEATRE

Lac la Biche Alberta PRESENTS

Wed. and Thurs., Feb. 11-12—

'Two Tickets to Broadway'

A Gala Musical, starring Tony Martin, Janet Leigh and Eddie Bracken.

8:30 p.m.

Fri. and Sat., Feb. 13-14—

'CRIPPLE CREEK'

A rip-roaring tale of a Colorado Gold Camp, starring George Montgomery, William Bishop and Karin Booth.

8:30 p.m. 2:30, 7:00, 9:15 p.m.

Mon. and Tues., Feb. 16-17—

'Darling How Could You'

Drama, Starring Joan Fontaine, John Lund and Mona Freeman.

8:30 p.m.

Minister and Wife Honored At Party

CRAIGEND—A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Salahub on the first of February in honor of Rev. P. Zubrisky and his wife of Lac la Biche. They were presented with a lovely radio from all the people of the Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies and throughout the entire day everyone was having a splendid time.

Bishop Visits Missions, Celebrates Communion

On Jan. 25 and 26, the Bishop of the Diocese, the Rt. Rev. R. J. Pierce, DD, visited all the Missions after celebrating Holy Communion at the Patronal Festival at St. Paul's Church at Boyle, where he and Mrs. R. J. Pierce were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Harper.

At Grassland Holy Communion was celebrated and a lovely tea was given by Mrs. Meredith Guy and the ladies of the parish.

Wandering River was then visited, where Miss Marlene Meyers was confirmed and received her first communion, together with others. Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyers provided a sumptuous

supper, which culminated the day. At Rich Lake school the confirmers were presented from Goose Lake. Lunch was served by Mr. and Mrs. T. Bergheim.

Those confirmed were: Stanley Bergheim, Joan Bergheim, Doris Bergheim, Margaret Iris Parker, Mae Sybil Parker, Robert John Tillapaugh, Dorothy Tillapaugh, Marion Joan Tillapaugh, Doreen Florence Niblock, who also received their first communion.

The service at Lac la Biche was attended with all the ritual of the Anglican Church as to reception Confirmation and Holy Communion, at which His Lordship was Celebrant. The guest of the Sanctuary was the Greek Orthodox priest, the Rev. Father P. Zubritsky. The flowers on the altar were kindly given by Mrs. Chester, Sr., and after were accepted by Mrs. Pierce.

The position of Matron for the female Confirmees was able filled by Mrs. Coast. The Bishop, suffering from a heavy cold, in all his addresses spoke on the meaning and purpose of the Rite of the Sacraments, and was very explicit.

Those receiving the Laying on of Hands at Lac la Biche were: Howard Maurice Smith, William Carl Smith and Esther Ada Smith, all of Hylo; Audrey Ellis Price, Alva Janet Price; Mr. A. E. Howarth, Mr. W. W. Niblock; Mrs. M. F. Niblock; Mrs. J. Hayward; Mr. Jesse Koerner, Clara Alvie Koerner, Judith Irene Koerner, Tillie Fay Koerner.

Those received into the Church were: Mrs. M. H. Smith of Hylo, Mrs. R. M. Dobson of Lac la Biche.

A lovely supper was served by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Koerner at Lac la Biche, which closed the trip through the missions.

Sugar beet growers in Canada now are producing enough raw material to supply roughly one-quarter of Canada's sugar needs.

Plamondon News Briefs

Mr. Louis Brockhage spent a few days in Edmonton on business.

Mr. Ed Robertson and Mr. Doug Griffith spent a day at Plamondon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Plamondon have returned from the north for a few days. Mrs. Plamondon is remaining here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dancause and family have arrived and taken up residence here. Mr. Dancause is now operating the John Deere business in Plamondon.

Mr. Gabriel Ladouceur has returned from Edmonton for a few days to take care of his business but unfortunately Gab is quite ill and has to return to Edmonton for surgical treatment and expects to be in hospital for some time.

The skating rink is going full swing and young and old are all on the ice. It is agreed that some of the real old-timers can surely beat the young ones on the ice.

The concert put on last week by the Yong Peoples was a great success and the hall was packed to capacity. The funds raised from the concert will be used for the skating rink.

The residents of Plamondon and district extend their sincere sympathy to Mrs. Hamel and family in their recent loss.

WON'T RETIRE AGAIN

HARTFORD, Conn. — Although Elmer Phelps is 81 and has "retired" twice, he's back at work and says he will never again try to retire. He is back at work as a skilled mechanic in the manufacture of organs.

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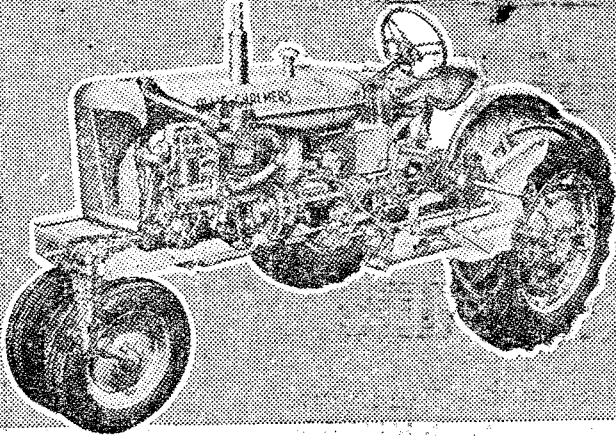
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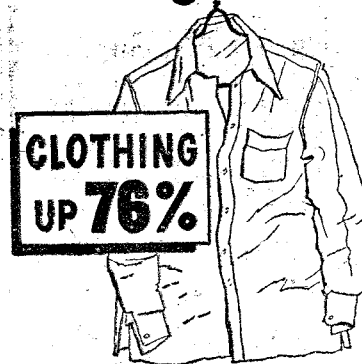
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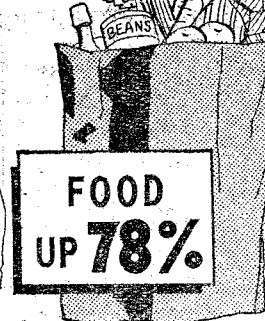
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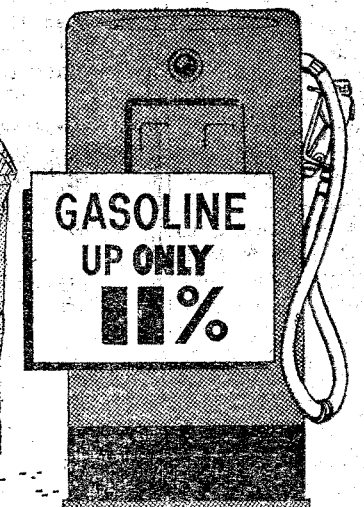
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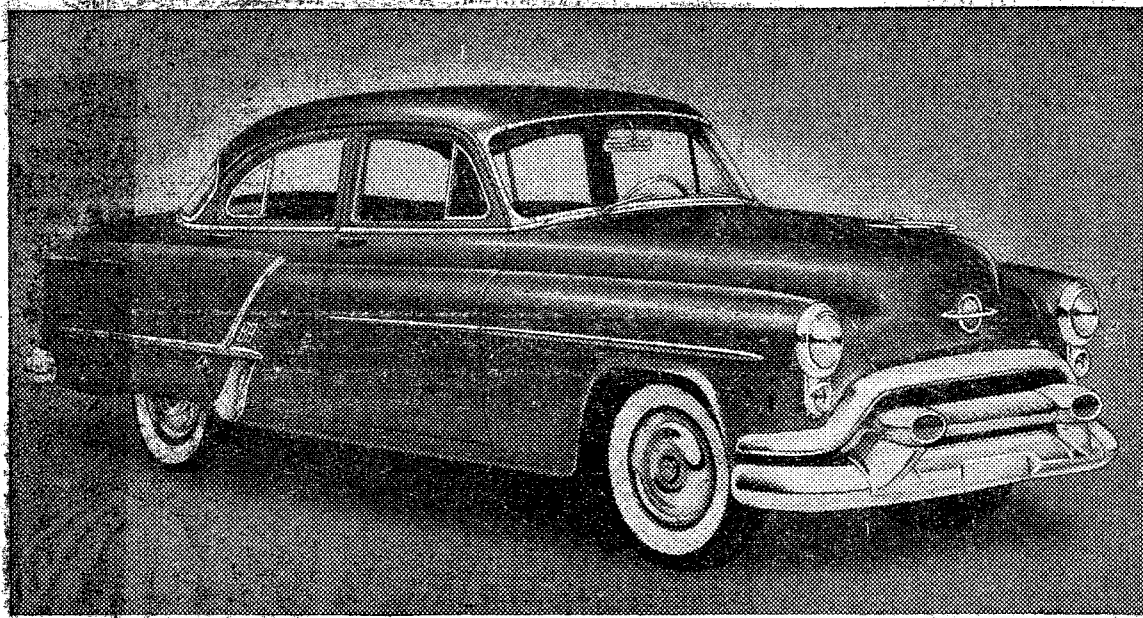
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Last year, for instance, consumers on the prairies paid \$55,000,000 less for petroleum products than they would have paid if new oil had not been found. This is another example of the benefits arising from new oil production.

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OLDSMOBILE FOR 1953 is completely new in frontal appearance, has a host of styling changes inside and out and features many mechanical advances including a more powerful "Rocket" engine. Two series, the Classic "98" and Super "88", offer a total of seven body styles in a wide array of new solid and two-tone color combinations. Frigidaire car conditioning, that cools the car interior in the warmest weather; and a safety-padded instrument panel, are options at extra cost on the "98" series. Directional signals are standard equipment on all models. Both series offer, as extra options, "Pedal Ease" power brakes, for faster, safer stops; Power steering; the Autronic Eye, an automatic headlight dimmer; and Hydra-Matic Super Drive. Shown here is the Oldsmobile Super "88" four-door sedan.

ENGINE IMPROVEMENT FEATURED IN NEW OLDSMOBILE

Completely new in frontal appearance and offering other styling changes inside and out as well as many mechanical advances, the 1953 Oldsmobile models were introduced recently by General Motors Products of Canada. Among the important improvements in the new models are further increases in efficiency of the "Rocket" engine, resulting in increased fuel economy and performance; compression ratio raised to 8 to 1, which also boosts the horsepower; and a more efficient 12-volt ignition system.

Frigidaire car conditioning that cools the car interior in the warmest weather is available on the Classic "98" series as an option at extra cost. "Pedal Ease" power brakes, to provide faster, safer stops, are an option at extra costs on all models.

Two series of Oldsmobile cars are presented in 1953. The Classic "98" series has been extended to 215 inches in length and is built in three body styles—the four-door sedan, Holiday coupe and convertible coupe. Four body styles are available in the popular Super "88" series—four-door sedan, two-door sedan, Holiday coupe and convertible coupe. Both the "98" and Super "88" are powered by a 165-horsepower "Rocket" engine. Wheelbase is 124 inches on the Classic "98" series and 120 inches on the Super "88" series.

Distinguishing the 1953 Oldsmobile is a new front bumper and grille assembly. The bumper and grille have been gracefully redesigned, with two distinctive oval ornaments serving as supports for the upper bumper bar. The name Oldsmobile is inscribed on this bar in metal letters. Parking lights under the headlights are in new round recesses.

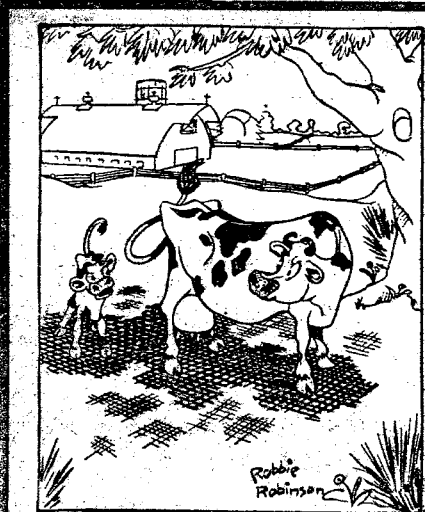
Setting off the interior styling is an entirely new instrument

panel, which has two circular recesses on either side. The instrument cluster is located in the left-hand recess in front of the driver, giving ready visibility for the gauges, speedometer and Hydra-Matic indicator. The latter has been transferred from the steering column and is electrically actuated.

The right hand recess of the instrument panel houses the electric clock, also the radio speaker when a radio is ordered. The glove compartment is located in the direct centre of the panel and is flanked on each side by a convenient ash receiver, which is readily accessible to any passenger. When the door of the glove compartment is down, it can serve as a handy tray. A safety-padded top for the instrument panel,

made of flexible non-reflecting plastic over foam rubber, can be ordered as optional extra equipment on the "98" series.

In going from a six-volt to a 12-volt electrical system for 1953, Oldsmobile has obtained higher capacity to meet the increasing demands of the engine and the accessories that have been added in recent years. Improved cold weather starting and better ignition are two immediate benefits of the 12-volt system. The new 12-volt, 70-ampere battery has 30 per cent greater over-all capacity than the 6-volt which it supersedes. The new 30-ampere generator has a third greater capacity. Other components revised because of the new 12-volt system, are the starter, voltage regulator, ignition coil, lights, horns and wiring.



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One day I was shopping with my grandmother in Edmonton. She was wearing a nice fur coat that I like to feel. We were in one of the stores when we got separated. I did not notice this at the time. Then I saw a woman whom I mistook for my grandmother, because she had the same type of coat on and was the same height. I went up to her and was feeling her coat. Then I said: "Where are we going now, grandma?" She turned around. It turned out to be a woman I had never see before!

J. C.

As we sat down to a friendly game of bridge in my new neighbor's home, I said to my hostess, "That's quite a strong disinfectant you use in your home, what is it?" "Really!" she snapped, "that's my new perfume you smell!"

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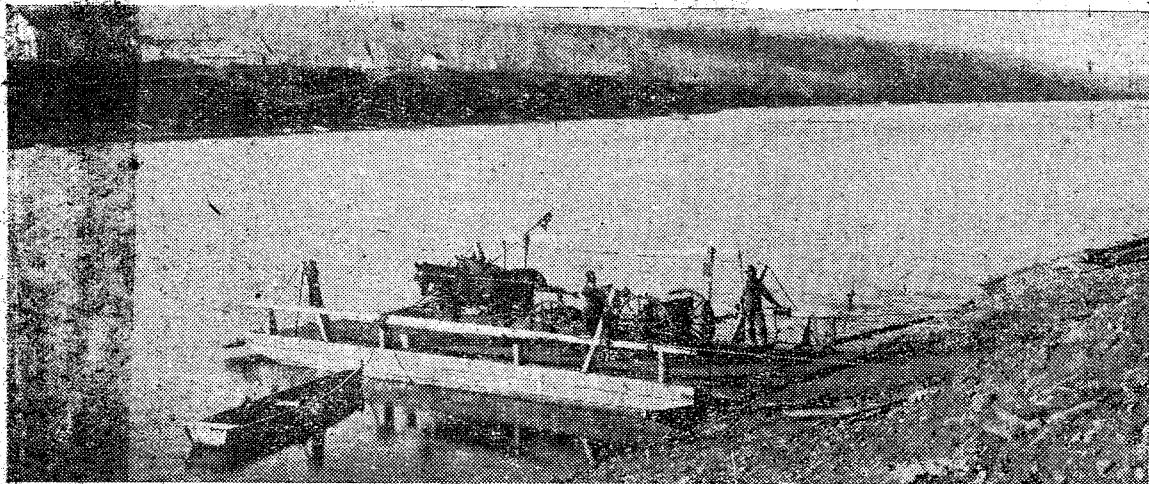
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250 words or less, the Editor will pay \$1.00. Send your entry to "DO YOU REMEMBER," P.O. Box 4430, South Edmonton.

ANNOUNCE 1952 DAIRY COMPETITION WINNERS

CALGARY—Awards and prizes presented at the Alberta Dairy Convention Wednesday in the Palliser Hotel have been announced. They result from the 1952 dairy plant and product competition arranged and conducted by the Alberta Department of Agriculture Dairy Branch. Following are first and second-place winners in the various competitions:

BUTTERMAKERS AND CREAMERY

Workmanship—1, G. N. Campbell, Evansburg Creamery, Evansburg.

Special—Gold watch awarded to G. N. Campbell, Evansburg Creamery, Evansburg.

Highest average score—2, V. Bellamy, South Edmonton Creamery Co., Edmonton.

First Grade—Group one—1, Northern Alberta Dairy Pool, Daysland; group two—1, South Edmonton Creamery Co., Edmonton; 2, Woodland Dairy, Edmonton.

Special—Aubrey S. Duclous Memorial Challenge Trophy—South Edmonton Creamery Co., Edmonton.

2nd Score—1, South Edmonton Creamery Co., Edmonton; 2, Central Alberta Dairy Pool, Alix.

Special—Royal Bank of Canada, Edmonton, Silver Trophy, South Edmonton Creamery Co., Edmonton.

Mould and Yeast—2, Northern

Alberta Dairy Pool Ltd., Andrew.

Grading Proficiency, Group One—1, Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Ltd., Daysland; 2, Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Ltd., Millet. Group Two—1, South Edmonton Creamery Co., Edmonton; 2, Woodland Dairy, Edmonton. Group Three—1, Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Ltd., Edmonton.

Best Kept Creamery and Surroundings—Division One: 1, Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Ltd., Edmonton. Division Two: 1, Viking Co-Op. Creamery Association Ltd., Viking; 2, Central Alberta Dairy Pool, Alix.

Special Silver Trophy—Viking Co-Op. Creamery Association Ltd., Viking.

Special, Collection of Nursery Stock—To the first prize winner in Division 2, Viking Co-Op. Creamery Association Ltd., Viking.

Inter Provincial Butter—1, Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Ltd., Barrhead; 2, Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Ltd., Andrew.

Special, T. Eaton Company Merchandise Voucher—Northern

Alberta Dairy Pool Ltd., Barrhead.

ICE CREAM COMPETITIONS

Ice Cream Quality—1, Woodland Dairy, Edmonton.

Special—Bank of Montreal Silver Challenge Trophy: Woodland Dairy, Edmonton.

HERD IMPROVEMENT

Greater Average Butterfat—1, Stannard Brothers, RR No. 2, S. Edmonton.

Special—Department of Agriculture Silver Challenge Trophy: Stannard Brothers, RR 2, S. Edmonton.

Cream Competition—1, W. R. Harke, Hay Lakes.

Special—Producers' Section Silver Challenge Trophy: W. R. Harke, Hay Lakes.

Quick Canadian Quiz No. 105

1. Name the five men who have been appointed as Canada's Governor-General since 1931.
2. In a day does the Canadian steel industry use 1,000 tons of iron ore, 7,000 tons, 10,000 tons?
3. When was the first beam short-wave system of wireless telegraphy established?
4. What Canadian was the first head of the medical school at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore?
5. What annual bill paid by Canadians has gone up from half a billion dollars in 1939 to about four and a half billion this year?

ANSWERS: 5. The tax bill paid to Ottawa. 3. Oct., 1926, by Canadian Marconi and the British Post Office, between Canada and the U.K. 1. Earl of Bessborough, Lord Tweedsmuir, Earl of Athlone, Viscount Alexander, Hon. Vincent Massey. 4. Sir Wm. Osler. 2. 10,000 tons per day.

A Falsie Alarm

TEXARKANA, Tex.—A false alarm which firemen answered here was, in one respect, the real thing. A pair of falsies caught fire while being dried in a tumbling machine at a laundry. Firemen said friction started the blaze, which caused little damage.

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Judges of the 1952 National Barley Contest will have no easy time in picking the regional and provincial winners in Alberta.

A year which produced a high yield barley crop of good quality may bring from 135 to 150 samples for final examination before the top 14 entries are determined. As in former years the province is divided into two regions for purposes of the contest with seven prizes awarded in each region. From the 14 regional winners the judges will determine the three best for provincial awards.

Growers in Alberta made a record 581 entries. All of them may not be shipped and inspected for the judging which takes place February 23 and 24 at Calgary preceding the annual Seed Fair of the Calgary Chamber of Commerce.

Awards will be made by a panel of the province's barley experts. Dr. A. G. McCalla, Edmonton, Dean of the Agriculture Faculty of the University of Alberta; A. M. Wilson, Edmonton, Provincial Field Crops Commissioner; and C. A. Weir, Calgary, District Supervisor of the Dominion Plant Products Division.

Alberta provincial winners will be candidates for the interprovincial awards. These will be made at Winnipeg when the Manitoba entries are judged March 12 and 13, by an interprovincial panel which will include the three Alberta judges.

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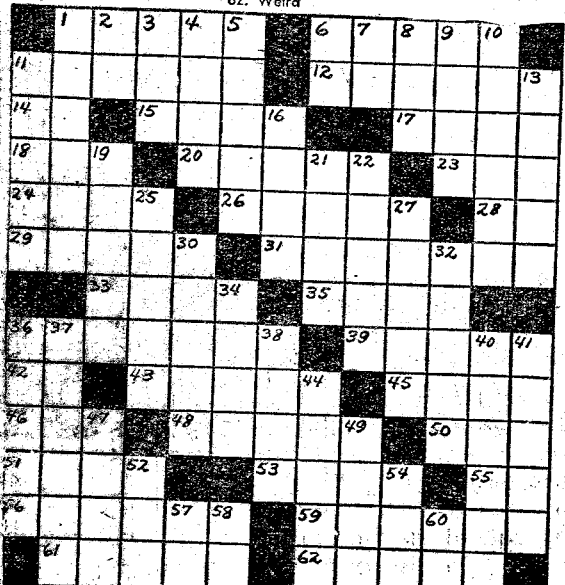
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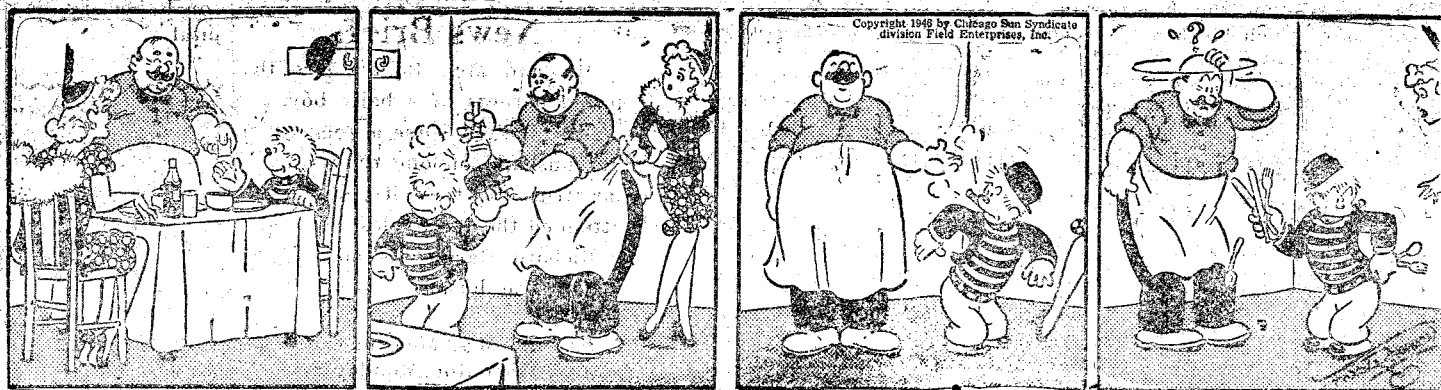
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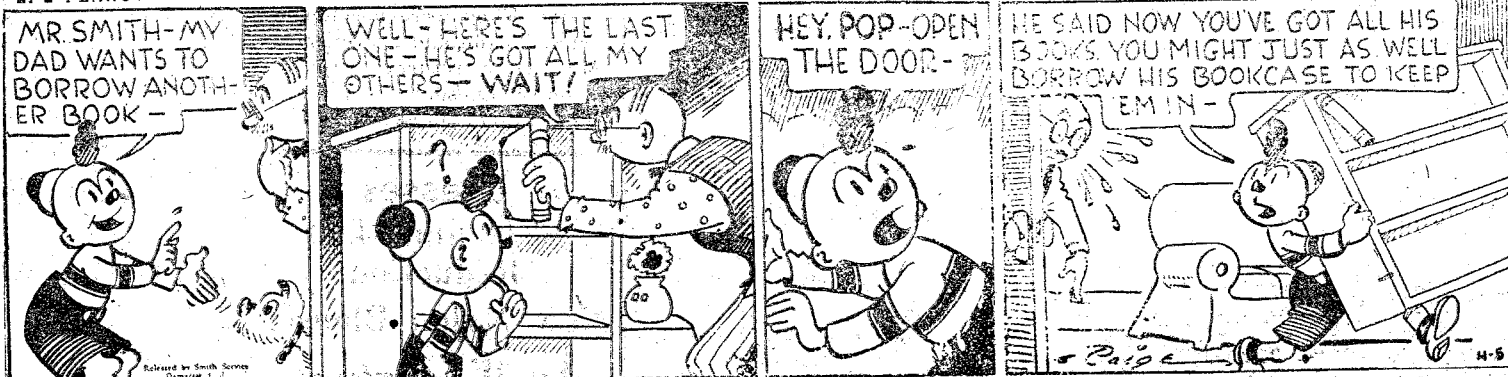
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 6. Parcel post (abbr.)
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 8. North Atlantic Fish
 9. Book of the Bible
 10. Mate
 11. Joins edges
 12. Woody plants
 13. A seasoning
 14. Halts
 15. Woman servant
 16. Fragrant rootstock
 17. Eradicate
 18. Large parrot
 19. Tendency
 20. Girl's name
 21. Gaelic
 22. Devil
 23. Runs away
 24. Vats
 25. Rest
 26. Act of entering
 27. Musical study
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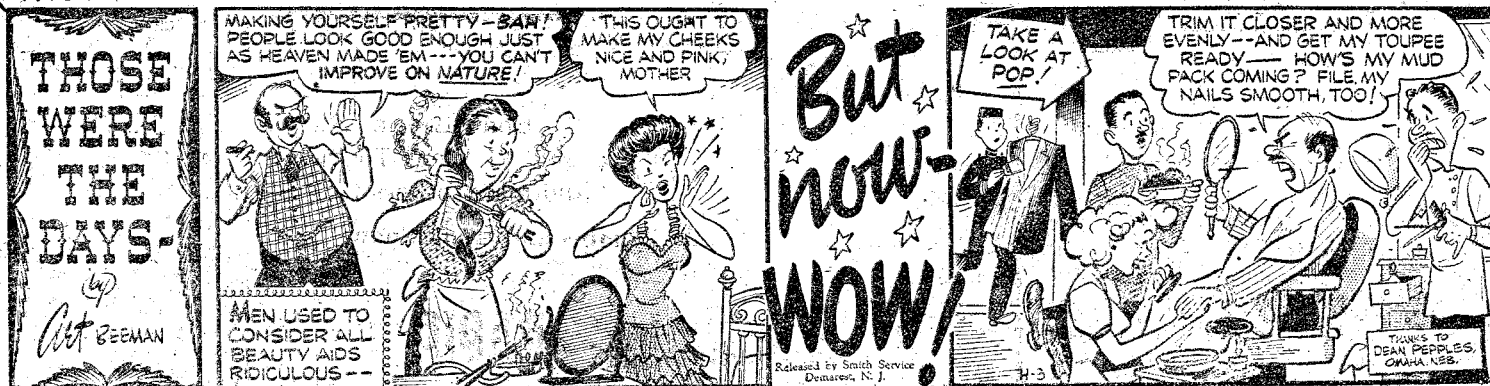
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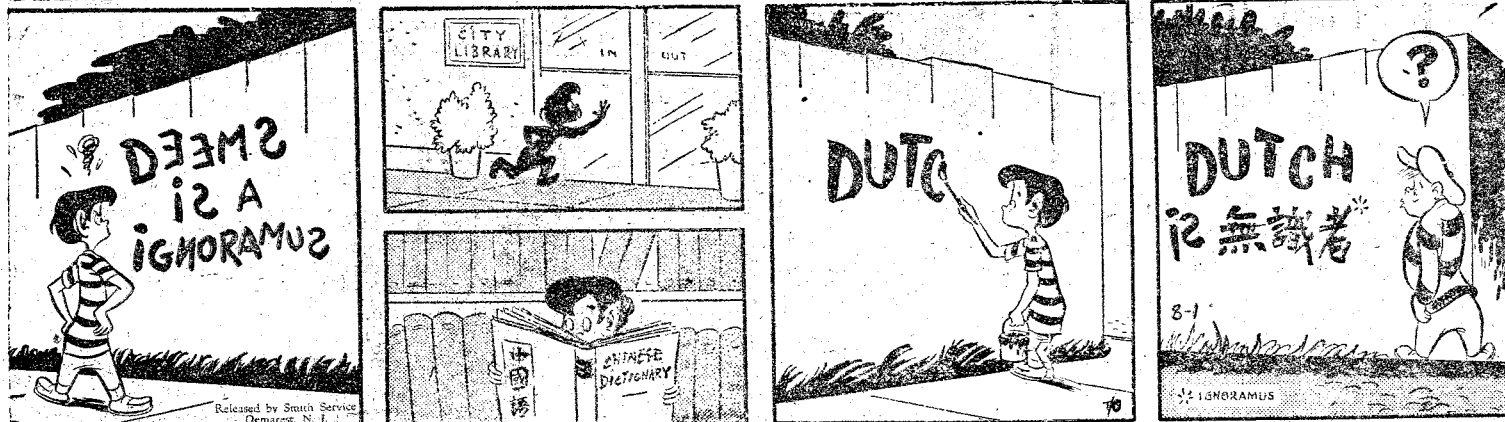
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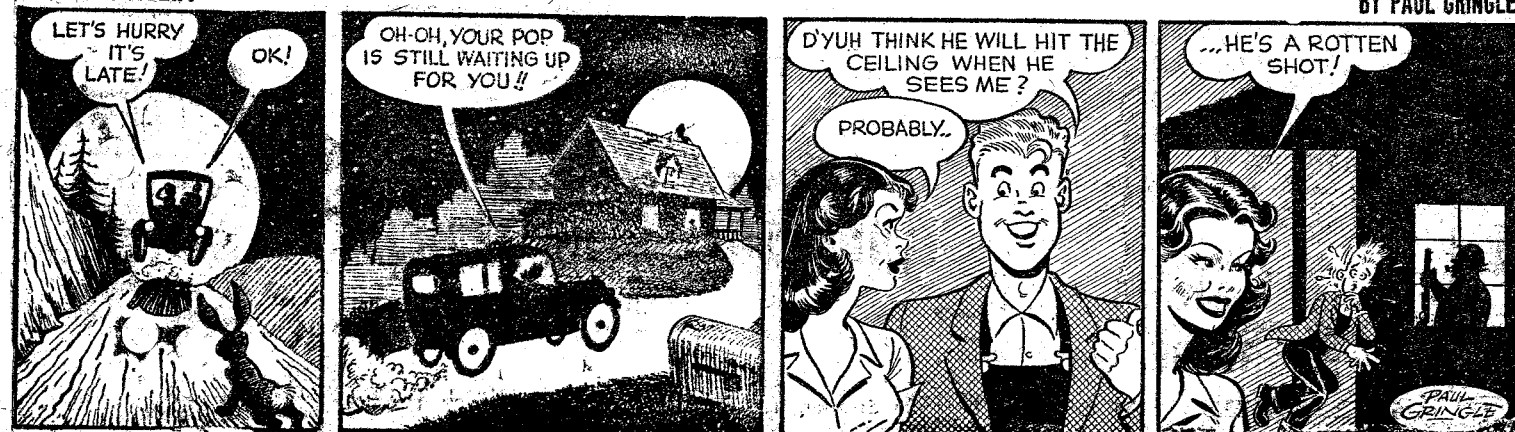
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News Oddities

Car Of Another Color

ST. PAUL — Mr. and Mrs. William Ross gave police the following description of their stolen 1933 Ford sedan: Painted white with light-brown doors, black hood and top, one blue wheel, one green another red and the fourth a color the owners couldn't remember.

There It Is—In Black And White

UTICA, Mich.—Sportsmen's clubs with fancy titles are nothing new to managers of Michigan's state park system who welcome a variety of organizations each year.

But one group that visited the recreation area here raised a few eyebrows.

The name—Order of Deodorized Skunks of Detroit.

Typewriters Out For Quite A Spell

CHELMSFORD, Eng.—Typewriting lessons will no longer be encouraged in Essex high schools although some schools have included them in the curriculum for 20 years.

Teachers are too busy teaching children to spell, a county education official explained.

Doors Too Clean

WOONSOCKET, R.I.—Armand J. Blandel opened the outer doors of the Woonsocket hospital and walked in. He walked into a second set of doors he didn't see at all and kept walking—right into the hospital accident room for treatment of a bruised nose, forehead and knee. The glass door was so clean and shiny, he couldn't see it.

Lesson For Today

PEMBERTON, Minn.—Villagers voted to license a liquor dealer here but found that no matter where the store might be located it would be too close to the village school. The law requires liquor stores to be at least 1,500 feet from a school. There isn't that much room in Pemberton.

The Breaks

ST. THOMAS, Ont.—Dr. John J. McManus set a patient's broken leg, then slipped on icy pavement as he left the patients home and broke his own left leg at the ankle.

Judge Dreams Up Real Eyeopener

SEDALIA, Mo.—William A. Dickson was sentenced to five days in jail here for going to sleep in court.

When Dickson was called to testify as a witness in a damage suit, Sheriff John F. Taylor was unable to awaken him.

Circuit Judge Sam Blair held him in contempt of court.

Dog Finds Bracelet

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (UP)—Smoky, a Cocker Spaniel, did a little detective work on her own and came home with her mistress' \$1,500 diamond bracelet. The bracelet and a wedding ring were lost by Mrs. Venita Adams. Mrs. Adams is hoping Smoky will find the ring next.

Lac la Biche News Briefs

Roy Raines has the snow cleaned off the ice to start putting up ice. He is going to wait until it gets thicker as it is only twelve inches at present. He usually put up his ice in January and it is from three to four feet thick. Due to the snow coming just after the lake froze and the mild weather it did not freeze so thick this year.

Jerald Calvert visited his parents over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Steadman and son, Dennis, visited Mrs. Steadman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coutney, over the week-end.

Mr. Jake Kline, manager of Haywards' Lumber, returned from La Fleche, Saskatchewan, where he went to the funeral of his father, who passed away at the age of 83 after being bed-fast for the past eight months. Mr. Kline's mother passed away three years ago.

The Mardi Gras Carnival and Dance will be held in the Memorial Hall on February 13. The candidates are: Miss Vickie Warawa representing the WI; Miss Louis Tremblay, representing the Students' Union; and Nataika Tkachuk, representing the Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church.

Mr. Abdel Zrien was in Edmonton for a few days last week.

Mr. A. Proctor attended the Ice Cycles in Edmonton last Monday.

A 9 lb. 14-oz son was born to Mrs. Polly Shulko in Edmonton on January 24. His name is William after his father, the late William Shulko, who was killed in the accident west of Athol.

Miss Beulah Quast spent two days in Edmonton at the Ice Cycles.

Mr. John Brownley from Vancouver visited friends here en route to McMurray.

Craigend News Briefs

At the recent opening of the Ford Garage in Lac la Biche, Mr. Kulyk and Mr. Balaban were lucky ticket holders. They won \$15 and \$150 respectively.

The dance that was sponsored by the Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church was a big success on the 30th of January at the Craigend Hall.

Mr. Robert Cervais is a proud owner of a car.

Miss Tillie Kulyk is reported to be quite ill. A speedy recovery is wished her.

There was no Church Service

in the Orthodox Church last Sunday because of the heavy winds and snow which blocked the roads nearly everywhere.

A birthday party was held for Mr. Bill Balaban on February 2.

Egg Lake News Briefs

Mr. George Happle is back home from the hospital, recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Happle received a visit from their daughter Alice (Mrs. J. Leresque) of Miramichi recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Happle had more visitors when their two daughters came to spend the week-end with them. Mr. and Mrs. Amelie Duperron came from Amosbury and Mrs. Nick Lue came from Mile 33. Mrs. Lue's family spent a few days at home at her parents' home, leaving home while her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lue went to Edmonton.

The people of Egg Lake have learned with regret the news of the death of Mr. Charles Happle, pastor of Lac la Biche, and wish to express their sympathies to the family.

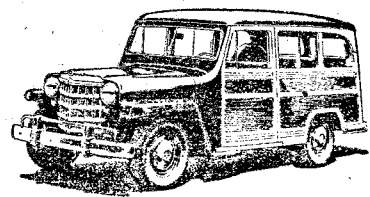
Mr. S. Johnston Feted On Birthday

CASUAL Friends gathered and surprised Mr. Sam Johnston at his home on his 49th birthday recently. Cards were played during the evening and a lovely lunch was served by Mrs. Johnston. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bury, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. Michael B. Bury, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Henson, Mr. Elmer Meyer and Mrs. Edna Meyer.

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Ellscoff News Briefs

The annual meeting of the Ellscoff School District No. 4960, scheduled for January 31, was postponed until Feb. 14.

Martin Nordin who has been a patient in the Athabasca Hospital for some time, is back home.

The Ellscoff school teachers, Mr. Spila and Mr. McFarlane, expect to attend the teachers' meeting at Colinton on Saturday, Feb. 7.

Zenon Goclon is up visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Goclon.

A former resident of the Ellscoff district, George B. Ward, passed away a few days ago.

Due to a relapse, "Pop" (L.V.) Reeder was rushed to Edmonton for further hospital treatment.

Lac la Biche Weather

	Max.	Min.
Jan. 31	-13.5	-24.2
Feb. 1	-4.8	-16.6
Feb. 2	16.0	-2.5
Feb. 3	35.8	16.7
Feb. 4	33.7	18.7
Feb. 5	37.2	19.7
Feb. 6	35.3	-3.7

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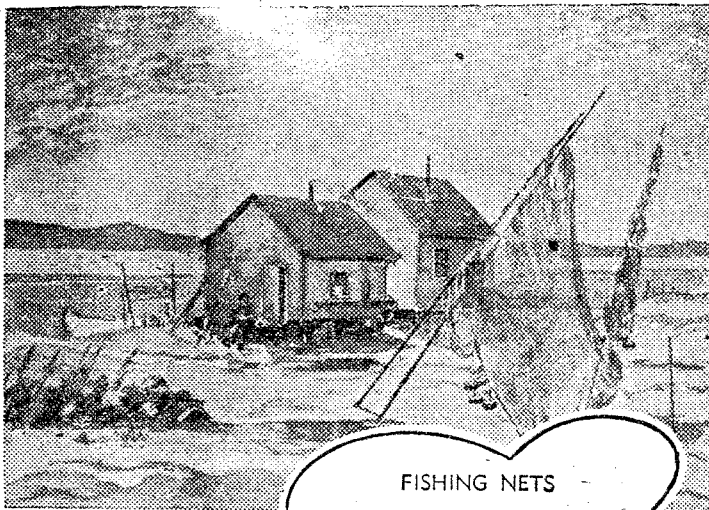
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Grassland News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. Walter Corse accompanied her husband on one of his regular trips to the city, and also attended the Ice Cycles.

Richard Garnier is now working in the bush for Keith MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Medwid made the trip to Edmonton Monday and attended the Ice Cycles at the Gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sadownik were in Edmonton this week on business. They were accompanied by Mrs. Sutton and Steve Luchka.

Mrs. Hu's returned from the city on Wednesday.

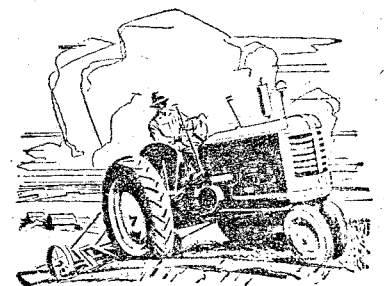
Mrs. Lillian McKenzie went to

Edmonton this week, and left son Robert in the University Hospital.

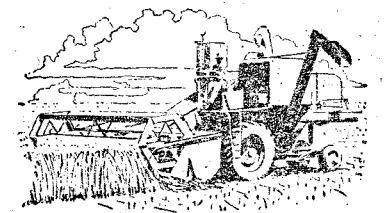
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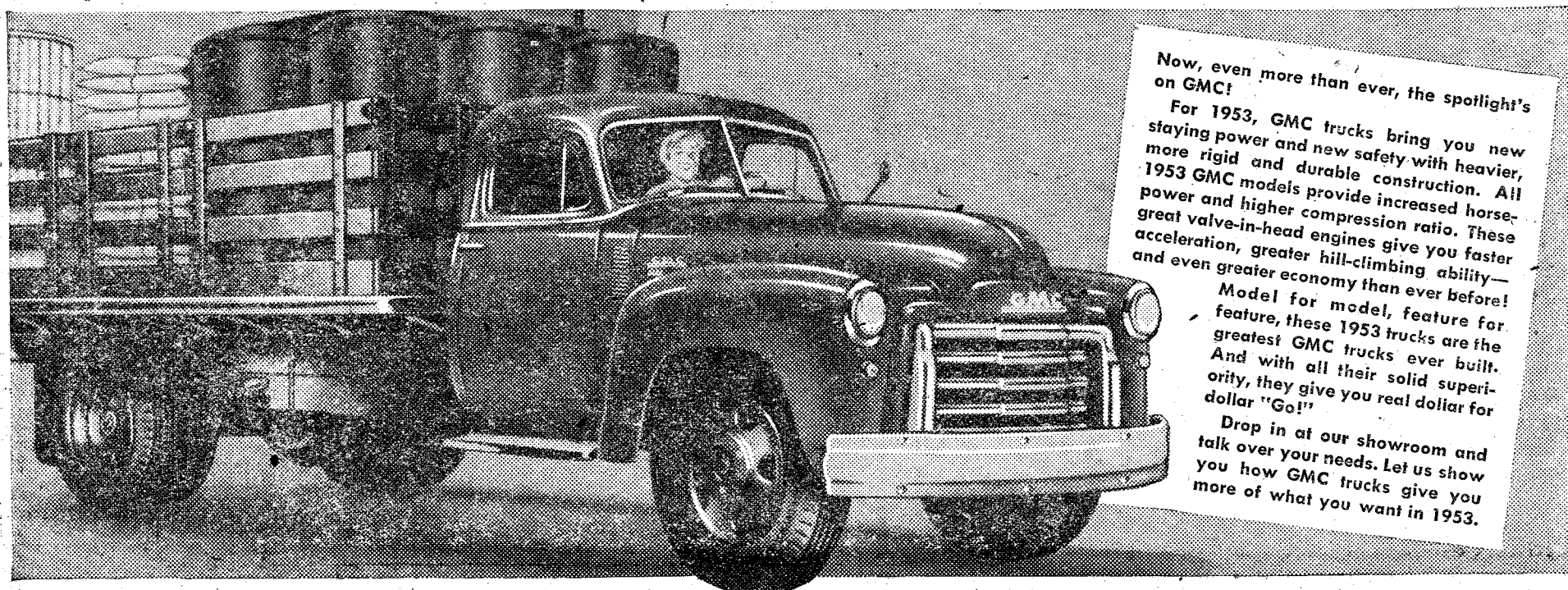
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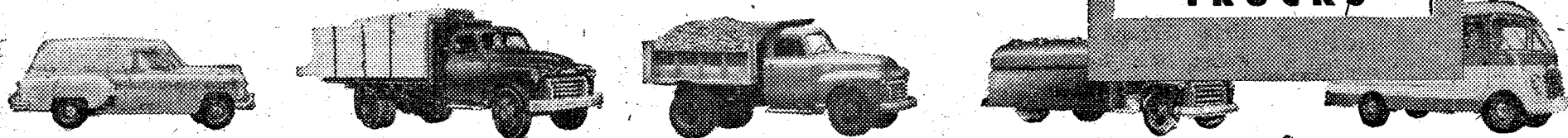
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Dance In Atmore Hall Aids Skating Rink

ATMORE — A dance was held on January 23 in the Atmore Community Hall. The proceeds were for the skating rink. A very good crowd attended. Thanks goes out to everyone who attended.

The skating rink is now cleaned up and ready for flooding.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Poulin left recently on a vacation which will take them through the States. They expect to return in about one month.

The Paldwin family, also Patricia and Elizabeth Ballard and Roger Groatz were back from the city for the week-end.

Former Wheat Champ Passes Away

ELLSCOTT—Mr. W. J. Bryant passed away February 1, in the Athabasca Hospital, after a short illness. He was well known throughout this district, as he was here for over thirty years. He was Wheat Champion for many years and he took great pride in his work. He leaves to mourn his passing, five brothers and one sister.

Mr. Leandry has just returned from Edmonton where he received a bent frame on his truck.

A community meeting was held in the Atmore Community Hall on Friday, January 20. Different problems were discussed.

Mrs. Grace Ball passed away dance in the Boyle Community Hall. February 4 in Wetaskiwin. Every-one extends their sympathy to the family. Funeral service was held Saturday, February 7 in Wetaskiwin.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin McNamara a baby boy, Wednesday, February 5 in the Royal Alexander Hospital in Edmonton.

Friday, February 13 the Students Union are sponsoring a Valentine's

90 Canadians Lost Citizenship

OTTAWA—Citizenship or naturalization certificates of 90 persons were revoked during the 1952. The total compared with 158 in the previous fiscal year.

Causes of revocation included prolonged absence abroad, disaffection and disloyalty while outside of Canada, false representation of fraud, or concealment of material circumstances which would prejudice citizenship.

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Mrs. Hamel and family wish to thank the Sisters of the hospital and all those who have been so kind in their recent bereavement.

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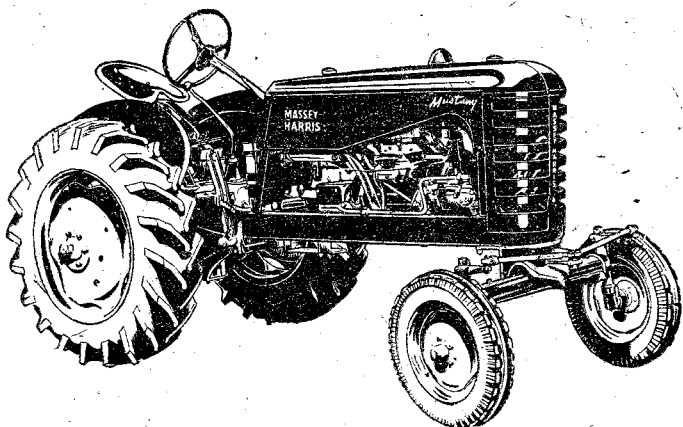
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Health Report

EDMONTON — The following cases of communicable diseases were reported in the city during the week ending January 31, 1953:

	This Week	Last Week
Chickenpox	50	64
Measles	24	17
Mumps	23	30
Rubella	58	27
Scarlet Fever	25	43
Septic Sore Throat	—	2
Whooping Cough	—	2
Encephalitis	—	1

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The following cases were reported from outside the city:

Meningitis (Meningo)	2	1
Mumps	1	—
Scarlet Fever	1	1
Rubella	—	1
	4	3

Earl Wright Takes Seat On School Board

BOYLE—Newly elected to the Athabasca School Division Board, Earl Wright of Paxson has taken his seat at the first school board meeting as representative for Boyle Sub-Division No. 3.

A young farmer and businessman of the Paxson District, Earl is also a councillor for the Muni-

cipal District of Athabasca and postmaster for Paxson. He is deeply interested in public affairs and well-known in many public circles inside and outside the Athabasca district.

In the United Kingdom, where sugar control continues to be rigid, sugar costs twice as much as in Canada where controls were removed in 1949.

Lethbridge Leads In Average Income

OTTAWA—Montreal is Canada's biggest city, but Toronto yields the biggest income tax.

The revenue department, in its annual "Green Book" on tax statistics, estimated today that Toronto taxpayers paid \$106,100,000 in income tax in 1950.

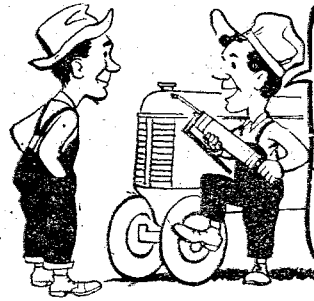
Toronto is second in population. Ottawa, home of the civil service, reported an average income of \$3,007.

Taxpayers' incomes averaged the highest in Lethbridge — \$3,312 a year — and the lowest in Hull — \$2,490.

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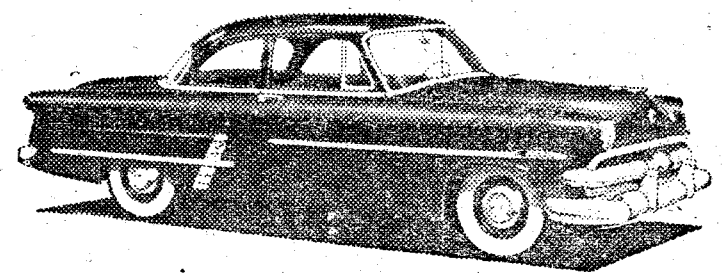
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Many of the Royal 22nd Regiment soldiers received an extra morale boost when Col. M.



Smart! PIER ANGELI, popular movie star, features this smart suit in charcoal black with champagne-colored vest.

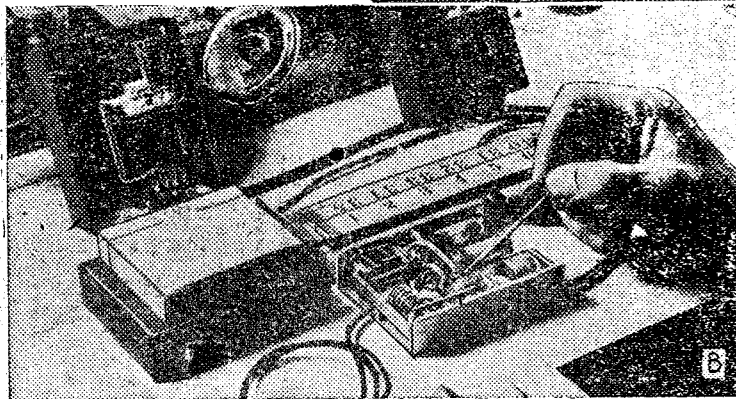
HOME IS IN YOUR POCKET

WHEREVER YOU ARE you can be in touch with your home, office or farm with the aid of a two-way, cigarette-pack-size radio set now being produced in Britain.

Named Tele-radio, its inventor, Michael Kasia, demonstrates it on the right. The set is in the top pocket of his coat, and the power-pack in the bottom. Unseen, the aerial is sewn in the lining. If necessary, all the equipment can be concealed and operate behind the lapel.

With the help of a British cigarette pack and ruler, the size of the set is pictured below. The pack is on the box on the left of the picture; the ruler (behind the hand) shows the set's length as under 4".

The sets are built so that several can operate in the same area without interference, and have tiny tubes adapted from those used in Britain's radar-controlled anti-aircraft shells used during the war.



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Built at a cost of \$50,000 yet producing the equal radiation of \$50,000,000 worth of radium, this Cobalt 60 bomb unit is now in operation in Victoria Hospital in London, Ont. This machine was designed and built by Canadian scientists.



One Dog Blood-Bank.

LADY, the pooch shown, was donated to an animal hospital by its owner. LADY has been a ready donor for dogs brought to the hospital.

He's Kept On Edge—Oh, Dear

HOUSTON, Tex.—Merrick Gillory filed suit for divorce here because he could get no sleep. Gillory said it was "uneasiness," not insomnia, that kept him awake. He said his wife slept with a butcher knife under her pillow.

LAS CRUCES, N.M.—Jerry G. Waltrip was fined \$150 and sentenced to 45 days in jail for his plea of guilty to taking a shot at a horse he thought was a deer. The horse was ridden by Richard Allgood, a state game warden.



Ferdinand Probably Looking For Flowers.

The bull at the left was the one who started all the trouble down Mexico way the other day. It all began because fans became disgusted at the exhibition and razed the matadors and assistants and showered the combatants with cushions and damaged the bull-ring to the extent of \$50,000.

SPECIAL AREAS

Alberta Drought-Stricken Lands Reclaimed-- Now Support Thriving Mixed-Farming Economy

Fourteen years ago much of the population of east central Alberta was burdened with debt and harassed by soil erosion and drought. Today these same districts, which now make up the Special Areas, support a thriving population of grain farmers, ranchers and mixed farmers.

These past 14 years have seen a great change in the traditionally dry area of Alberta. Controlled grazing has been introduced, new grass has halted soil drifting, and the general existence of its residents has been greatly improved.

From 1931 to 1937 farmers and ranchers in the district received direct relief of almost \$1,000,000. In 1951 total direct relief to the same population was little more than \$5,000.

THREE SPECIAL AREAS

Three districts make up the Special Areas. These are the Berry Creek-Sullivan Lake Special Area No. 2, Sounding Creek-Neutral Hills Special Area No. 3, and Bow West Special Area No. 4. Special Area No. 1 reverted to two improvement districts and the British Block in 1943, while the remaining portion became a part of Special Area No. 2.

The existing Special Areas cover 265 townships and have a rural population of 12,552. This population figure has remained constant for the past six years.

The main reasons for organizing Special Areas were to assist farmers and ranchers both financially and agriculturally, and to control settlement in the areas. One of the first phases of the program was to depopulate the areas to a point where the remaining farmers and ranchers could utilize enough land to make their operations successful.

One method of encouraging depopulation was to pay freight within the Province to anyone who wished to move from the Special Areas to other farming districts.

LANDS CLASSIFIED

During 1936 to 1938, economic and water surveys were made of the area and lands were divided into three major classifications. These were: submarginal land suitable only for grazing; marginal land suitable for a combination of grazing and wheat production; and land suitable for wheat production.

Today, most of the farmers and ranchers in the area own their lands and rent additional acreage from the government. Of the 6,000,000 acres in Special Areas, about 2,000,000 are privately owned. Of the remaining 4,000,000 acres, approximately 3,700,000 are held under lease or used as community pasture, while the remaining 300,000 acres are unoccupied.

MIXED FARMING GENERAL

The greatest percentage of the rural population is engaged in mixed farming, with 2,730 listed at the last census. The average holding is 1,500 acres, while 110 residents have holdings of 10,000 acres or more.

By 1939, depopulation had been brought to a point where it was found advisable to undertake a rehabilitation program. The program allowed farmers or ranchers to increase their holdings and to exchange their lands for improved locations. It introduced water development, re-

grassing of abandoned lands, and allowed grazing rentals on the basis of the carrying capacity of the land.

When the program to re-seed grass was introduced, free crested wheat grass and brome grass seed was provided by the government. Since that time, more than 500,000 lbs. of seed has been distributed and the present program allows for distribution on a half cost basis.

The water survey enabled authorities to determine accurate water sheds, the approximate amount of run-off and the most advantageous place for impounding and utilizing the water.

The administration of the areas is undertaken by a three-man Special Areas Board, which is located at Hanna. This Board is appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, and has full jurisdiction over the financial and administrative matters in the areas.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Assisting the board is an advisory committee, made up of 16 ratepayers who are elected annually with the committee to hear recommendations or grievances from the 16 districts.

All records and financial accounts are kept by the Department of Municipal Affairs in Edmonton, and a Special Areas Branch handles grazing leases, posts tax notices, and makes other financial arrangements.

In addition, offices have been established at Hanna, Oyen, Consort, and Lomond. These offices take applications for land, collect taxes and crop shares, and generally do much the same duties as a municipal secretary's office.

The life of a farmer living in the Special Areas differs little from that of any other dry land farmer. Soil conservation and careful farming

practices are urged, and most services provided by a municipal district can be found in the Special Areas.

SIX COMMUNITY PASTURES

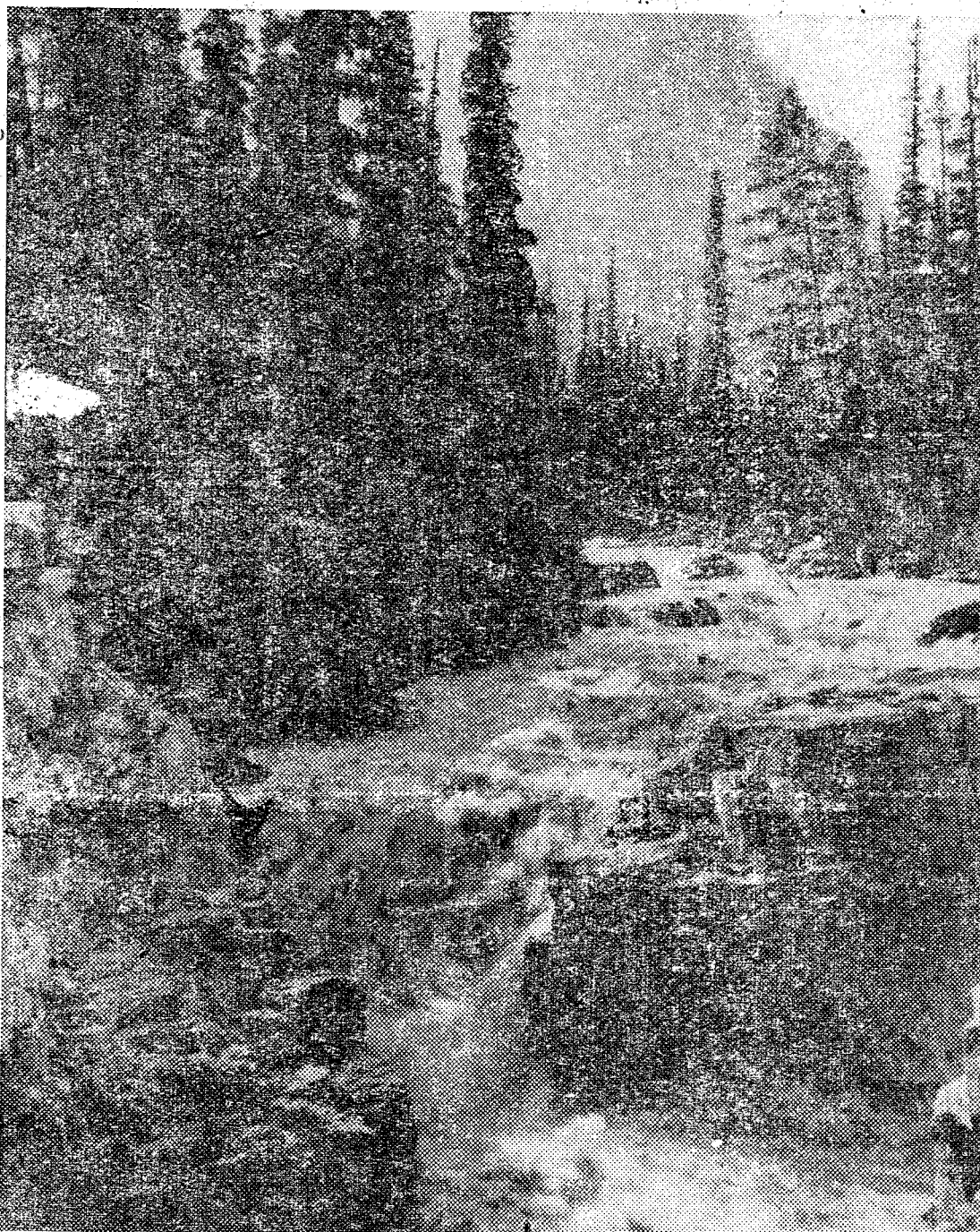
Most of the farmers operate a quarter or half section of their own and lease another portion of land from the government. Six community pastures in the Special Areas are used by ranchers and mixed farmers, while others hold smaller grazing leases near their own property.

Two municipal hospitals were constructed at Oyen and Cereal with funds provided by the Special Areas, while assistance was given in the enlarging of hospitals at Consort and Coronation, which although their districts do not lie entirely within the Special Areas, serve a large percentage of their population.

The Special Areas also took over the former school of agriculture and home economics at Youngstown and in 1948 opened the completely renovated building as the Pleasantview Home for the Aged. The building now houses about 65 aged residents of Special Areas and has a capacity of 75.

In co-operation with the Department of Public Health and villages in the area, the Special Areas provided five municipal nurses, giving complete service to the area.

At one time, grain harvesting at Cereal in the heart of the Special Areas was considered the finest in Canada. If irrigation is introduced to this dry belt, the Special Areas may become leading producers of prize grain in the Province.



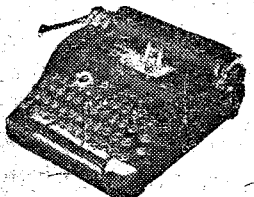
Some areas of Alberta have an abundance of water, as shown by the photograph above. Other areas suffer severely from drought each year. Through reclamation and correct and careful subsequent farming, scenes like the above may some day be commonplace among the drier areas of the province.

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Dear Louisa,
I just had to make a comment
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about to do and my husband drank
for seven years afterwards. I
packed my clothes to leave and he
promised he'd never drink again.
However, he did now and then
for another year. Denied my child
and me the very necessities. We
are still being denied because he
can't make back what he threw
away for seven years.

I have lived in a ramshackled
old house, not a good window and
openings around the doors a knife
could go through. Not a comfort-
able bed in the house but the one
I bought for the child. We get
along horribly.

There are times when I don't
even have the price of a postage
stamp but he never tells me what
he takes in or spends yet I am
always asked to sign notes.

My sister supports me and par-
tially supports the child. I think
each day that I will have to go
but all that keeps me is the child.
She is a dear and begs me to stay
as she has always lived in the
country and, if we went, we would
have to live in the city with my
sister.

Help me if you can.
Distressed.

Answer:
I have left out parts of your
letter, telling of bad experiences
you had while your husband was
drinking. For the life of me, I
can't understand why you stayed
with him then, if you had a sister
you could go to.

However, you did stay and now
I gather from your letter that
your husband has stopped drink-
ing and you get along badly be-
cause you live so poorly and have
so little money. I wonder if the
resentment of all those years
hasn't built up to such an extent
that you never let your husband
forget his misdoings of the past.

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they have done in the past and
they are trying to live a better
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trying to do and if you are being
treated fairly with what he has.

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However, if you decide to leave
think well of where you are go-
ing. Will the surroundings and
people you come in contact with
be good for you and your child?
Will she have more advantages for
happiness there than she has now?

If you decide to stay, try to
have a more harmonious home.
Horrible rows between parents
have a dreadful effect on children,
so try to settle your differences
when she is not present. Stop
nagging about things that have
happened in the past if your hus-
band is trying to behave.

But, if you can't stand the life
any longer, leave quietly and with-
out a disturbance.

Louisa.

Chances of Travel

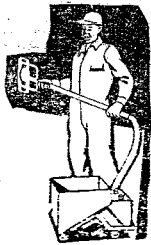
Nervous Passenger (on maiden
flight with nephew) — "H-here,
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Nephew—"We'll, I don't always
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Evansburg. E.A.G.

My six-year-old cousin from town was out to visit the farm one week-end. He wouldn't drink any milk, and when asked why not he said: "This milk comes from a cow." When asked, "Doesn't your milk come from a cow," he replied, "No! Ours is pasteurized milk."

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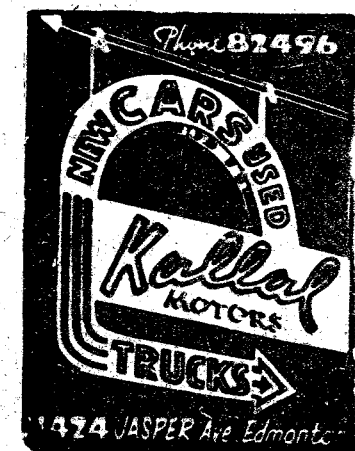
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A. E. Macdonald, Member for Edmonton East, speaking in the House of Commons recently told of the tremendous amount of money which the Federal Government spends in Alberta through Old Age Pensions, Family Allowances, Grants to Hospitals, Universities, Agriculture, Irrigation, Education, etc. Mr. Macdonald stated that the Federal Government gets very little credit for this as most of these are almost entirely cash grants given to the province and spent by them.

Mr. Macdonald was heckled considerably by some of the Social Credit members but, according to reports, he had no trouble in brushing them off.

He pointed out that over 300,000 children in Alberta receive Family Allowance, and about 40,000 people receive Old Age Pensions. The province has received over \$11,000,000 from the Federal Government in Health grants. These various Federal grants have greatly increased the construction and furnishing of more hospitals, as well as provided additional training for physicians and nurses.



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"A man who feels like singing the National Anthem when making out his income tax return."

He Passed All Right

In the University of Wisconsin, students undergoing an examination in English were asked:

"Write out examples of the indicative, the subjunctive, the potential, and the exclamatory moods."

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"I am endeavoring to pass an English examination. If I answer 20 questions, I shall pass. If I answer 12 questions I may pass. God help me!"

On A Sunday Morning

Parson (meeting a neighbor bringing home a load of hay)—
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Jenkins—Mr. Dawkins, I don't know whether it would be best to sit on a load of hay and think of religion or sit in church and think of the hay.

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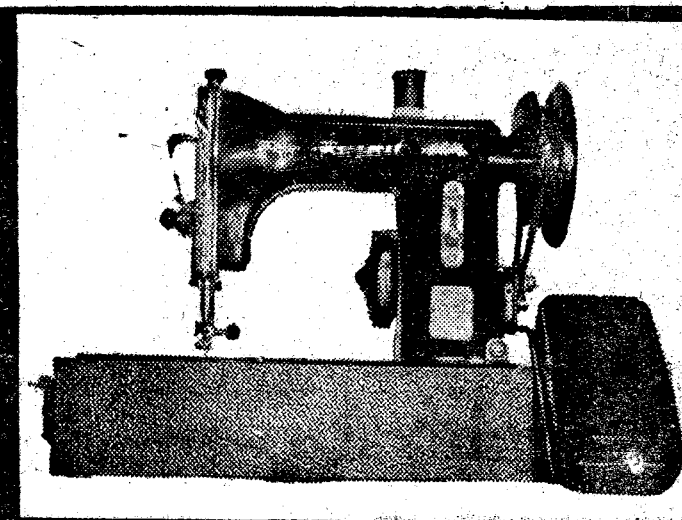
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XJ 14

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FOR SALE—John Deere 1928 Model D tractor, on steel, \$350; 15-30 McCormick-Deering, \$250; 8" John Deere binder, \$75; 2-14 Oliver plow, \$59.80; No. 6 McCormick-Deering mower, \$35; 20 Marker McCormick drill, double disc, \$29.50; Ford V8 3-ton truck, \$350; D30 IHC, \$350. Phone, call, or write C. Darold Daniel, Entwistle.
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F 7-14-21-28, M 7-11

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CF 7-14

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FOR SALE—New 1952 Ford tractor, below cost; 1941 Ford 4-door sedan car. Phone 3. Walter's Service Garage, Tawatinav, Alta.
CF 7-14-21-23

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CF 7-14-21

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XJ 24-31 F 7-14

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CF 11

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Industrious man wanted at once to retail Rawleigh Products in Vinna locality. Write Rawleigh's Dept. B1192, Winnipeg, Man.
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Industrious man wanted at once to retail Rawleigh Products in Rochfort Bridge locality. Write Rawleigh's Dept. B962, Winnipeg, Man.
CF 7-14-21-23

HELP WANTED—For a good paying proposition contact the Fuller Brush Co. Ltd., 10744 Jasper Ave., or phone 24677 for appointment. Must have car or light truck.
C D 6-11

LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Aberdeen Angus bull, coming 2 years old in spring. Write Albert Moe, Box 745, Morrin.
CF 7-14-21

Ottawa Plans To Continue Work On Alberta Irrigation Project

OTTAWA—The federal government plans to continue work on two Alberta irrigation projects in the next fiscal year and to make a start on a project to help two Saskatchewan cities—Moose Jaw and Regina—get more water.

LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—3-year old Shorthorn Bull, "Rockyford Democrat," grandson of "Fairington Cashier" imp. This bull sired the champion calf at the 1952 Athabasca Stock Show. Also two Shorthorn females in calf to Democrat. G. Ivey and Son Ellsford, Alberta.
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FOR SALE—20 acres, river lot 45. Frame house 18x34. Garage 12x18. Two granaries. 5 1/2 acres cultivation, three in alfalfa. On the highway six miles from town. Will sell or trade. Apply, N. M. Thomas, Lac la Biche Mission, Alberta.
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Estimates for 1953-54 tabled Wednesday in the Commons included \$7,893,000 for Prairie irrigation projects, an increase of more than \$300,000 from \$7,564,000 in the current year.

Of the total, \$4,297,000 will go toward development of the Bow River irrigation project in Alberta, a scheme to provide irrigation for some 240,000 acres near Lethbridge. The government spent \$4,800,000 on this program last year.

Another \$1,640,000 is planned for the St. Mary's River project to irrigate 450,000 acres between Lethbridge and Medicine Hat. This is an increase from the \$1,200,000 spent on this program in the current year.

In Saskatchewan, \$360,000 is provided to make a start on pumping water from the South Saskatchewan River into the Qu'Appelle River valley to boost the water flow into Buffalo Pound Lake which feeds water to Moose Jaw and Regina.

The federal government has promised to help maintain a high Buffalo Pound Lake level for the two water-short cities.

The estimates also contain a \$500,000 item covering the controversial South Saskatchewan River development, but agricultural officials said the item was inserted before the cabinet saw the royal commission report turning down the project as uneconomical.

The money may be used to proceed with further engineering studies if the cabinet decides to make further studies on the project or it may be put to some other use in Prairie irrigation works.

Retail Sales Set Record

OTTAWA—Canada's retail stores rang up the biggest sales in history during the first 11 months of 1952, with totals climbing to \$10,119,745,000.

This was a 7.2 per cent increase from the previous high of \$9,439,327,000 in the similar 1951 period, the bureau of statistics reported recently.

Sales were higher in all provinces both in November and in the 11-month period, the bureau said. Dollar sales during November totalled \$976,956,000, down 2.9 per cent from the all-time monthly high of \$1,006,385,000, but up 7.3 per cent from the November, 1951, total of \$906,065,000.

Ottawa Contributes To Yukon Road Link

OTTAWA—The federal government will provide contribution of \$100,000 in 1953-54 for the project that will give Dawson the first road link with the outside world. The project involves construction of a 100-mile stretch of rough highway that will join the mining road now in operation between Mayo and Whitehorse. Ottawa is providing 60 per cent of the total cost and the Territories 40 per cent. It will probably take about two years to complete the project at something under \$500,000.

BAPTISTS INVOLVED

MILAN, Tenn.—Harry Martin, Baptist deacon, found a car blocking his exit. The violator was Bob Cox, also a Baptist deacon. Cox was fined by City Judge Floyd Burrow, chairman of the Board of Deacons. They were all members of the First Baptist Church.

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of the problem, thus helping in the solution or arrangement of the association's affairs.

A delightful lunch was served in the Home Economics room of the school by the members of the Colinton Home and School Association. At that time, a filmstrip entitled "Home and School Meet" was shown to the group with a commentary by Mrs. H. T. Robertson. This film was of considerable help to the group as it showed very clearly how you could arrange and carry out a year's program for your own association.

Following the re-assembly in the United Church auditorium, a period was devoted to the reports of the discussion groups who had been working individually on some of the problems suggested in Mrs. Boalch's talk. The responsibilities of the officers and the methods of raising money were major points on which most delegates were looking for help and suggestions.

A dinner was served in the dining room of the Grand Union Hotel at which 55 of the delegates were present. This gave a splendid opportunity for making personal contacts as well as meeting officers from outside associations.

The evening program began at 7:45 with a few community songs led by Mr. Hendy and Mrs. Appleby. Mrs. Boalch then conducted a demonstration of a model meeting for the benefit of any association that might desire help on the actual conducting of an evening meeting. No doubt many late-comers were perplexed at the problems and attitudes assumed during this meeting as some well known friend was called Mr. Green by the chairman. Selected persons had been asked to serve as committee chairmen and convenors with each one giving a report of the activities of their group as outlined in the minutes of the previous meeting.

The speaker for the evening was Mr. Hawkins who had been chosen to ask the people in the audiences

just what should a Home and School Association do and what should be its aim. He suggested six possible ways in which the H and S associations could set out a definite aim. First, they could become an intensive study program on all phases of Education. Second, they could seek to provide entertainment for the family as a unit so that all members could participate. Third, they could become an evening social club which would attempt to break down any barriers between the home school and teachers. Fourth, each association could study the local picture to see what gaps it could fill in the community needs. Fifth, the H and S could become a propaganda pressure group which sought to influence other bodies or groups in relation to getting action on certain tasks. And lastly, the H and S could remain as it is with some time being devoted to all of these functions but not allowing any one field to take an excessive amount of time. This program would allow each association to fill more satisfactorily the individual needs of persons and classes which vary so widely in their reactions.

At the conclusion of this talk, a ten minute interval was allowed for discussion of these suggested aims by the audience. The general reaction of all groups was that the H and S should remain as it is with a well planned program being carried out to fulfil the needs of each locality. Suggestions already given out at the conference would help all officers to get better results by getting the participation of the whole group when planning their year's program. Variety was essential but interest must also be maintained at a high level in the problems of education so that no group should become a social club.

At the close of the meeting, Mr. Skuba of Smoky Lake made the courtesy report in which he thanked all who had contributed to and participated in the regional conference. A hearty vote of thanks was given to the provincial executive for their work in planning the conference. Lunch was served by

Spruce Valley News Briefs

On Friday, January 23, Mr. Strumelak had the misfortune to burn his truck. The insurance company has ordered Mr. John Broton of Grassland to take the burnt truck to Edmonton.

On February 2 the Spruce Valley people had a surprise housewarming party for Mr. and Mrs. Peter Budz.

On Tuesday, February 3, Mr. Hall from Lac la Biche paid a visit to the Spruce Valley School.

Mr. Eugene Strumelak made a business trip to Edmonton recently.

Lac la Biche Mission News Briefs

Mr. George Bourrassa of of Atmore was here this week on business.

Mr. D. Vereighe left this morn-

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